

## THE JUDICIAL COUNCIL'S EDUCATION COMMITTEE

### **PURPOSE**

The Education Committee guides, promotes and encourages the education, training, and professional development of all Judiciary employees.

### **SCOPE OF ACTIVITY**

The Education Committee oversees the continuing legal education for the Judiciary, including all judges, family magistrates, Orphans' Court judges, and judicial officers.

The Education Committee will ensure ample training opportunities for professional staff development and encourage participation.

The Committee will work with other committees, departments and justice partners to coordinate and communicate training opportunities to all. It will seek new technologies and innovative delivery methods. It will facilitate mentoring and peer support relationships throughout the Judiciary.

The Committee's goal is a quality workforce that is well prepared to assist the public in every capacity.

The Education Committee will support the mission of the Maryland Professionalism Center.

The Committee will report on its initiatives and other activities, at least annually, to the Judicial Council.

### **COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP**

*Hon. Susan H. Hazlett, Chair*

| <b>NAME</b>  | <b>TERM</b>                         |
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| Hon. Krystal Q. Alves, Circuit Court, Prince George's County   | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2016 |
| Hon. Lynne A. Battaglia, Court of Appeals                      | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2016 |
| Hon. Donald E. Beachley, Circuit Court, Washington County      | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2016 |
| Hon. Mark S. Chandlee, Circuit Court, Calvert County           | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2016 |
| Hon. JoAnn M. Ellinghaus-Jones, District Court, Carroll County | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015 |
| Hon. Kathryn G. Graeff, Court of Special Appeals               | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015 |
| Hon. Robert N. McDonald, Court of Appeals                      | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2016 |
| Hon. Nancy M. Purpura, Circuit Court, Baltimore County         | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015 |
| Sally W. Rankin, Circuit Court, Somerset County                | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015 |
| Family Magistrate Lisa Segel, Circuit Court, Montgomery County | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015 |
| Hon. Kathy P. Smith, Circuit Court, Calvert County             | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2016 |
| Roberta L. Warnken, Chief Clerk, District Court                | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2016 |
| Hon. Dorothy J. Wilson, District Court, Baltimore County       | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2016 |
| Susan Bowen, JIS, Sr. Security Manager                         | January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2016 |

## **SUBCOMMITTEES**

**NAME: COMMISSIONER EDUCATION SUBCOMMITTEE**

### **MEMBERSHIP**

Hon. JoAnn M. Ellinghaus-Jones, *Chair*  
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Hon. Mark D. Thomas  
Hon. Nicole Pastore-Klein  
Hon. Robert W. Heffron  
Allie Owens, Commissioner  
Hon. Eileen A. Reilly  
Hon. Alexandra N. Williams

### **EXPECTED DURATION**

Indefinitely.

**NAME: JUDICIAL INSTITUTE SUBCOMMITTEE**

### **MEMBERSHIP**

Hon. Robert N. McDonald, *Chair*  
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Hon. James A. Kenney, III  
Hon. Michael D. Mason  
Hon. Christopher L. Panos  
Hon. Brett W. Wilson  
Hon. Patrick L. Woodward  
Hon. Donald E. Beachley  
Hon. Patrice E. Lewis  
Hon. Julia B. Weatherly  
Hon. Dorothy J. Wilson

### **EXPECTED DURATION**

Indefinitely.

**NAME: PROFESSIONALISM SUBCOMMITTEE**

**MEMBERSHIP**

Hon. Lynne A. Battaglia, *Chair*  
Hon. Angela M. Eaves  
Hon. Frank M. Kratovil, Jr.  
Hon. Kathryn G. Graeff

**EXPECTED DURATION**

Indefinitely.

**NAME: PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SUBCOMMITTEE**

**MEMBERSHIP**

Amy J. Craig  
Terri L. Mumma  
Judy K. Rupp  
Hon. Kathy P. Smith  
Dawne D. Lindsey  
Sally W. Rankin  
Timothy Sheridan  
Mary K. Smith  
Patrick H. Loveless

**EXPECTED DURATION**

Indefinitely.